Trainings are subject to cancellation unless a minimum of 4 people register (Must RSVP – Call David (602) 443-0723)



ABIL'S October 2006 ADVOCACY PRESENTATIONS

LIFE, Inc., Living Independently with Freedom and Equality, LIFE

Please join the staff of the Transportation Project of LIFE, Inc. to learn about their Taxi Voucher Programs, Disability Awareness Sessions, Peer Travel Training and More! Opportunities for program assistance and employment will also be discussed.

Guest Speaker: Donna Powers - Transportation Project Director **Date/Time:** Tuesday, October 10, 2006 - 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Location: 2345 E. Thomas Rd., Ste. 290 Phoenix

Need Transportation? East Valley RIDEChoice Program

"East Valley RIDEChoice presents transportation options and alternatives for Mesa, Apache Junction,

and now administrating coupons for cabs for Chandler and Gilbert. **Guest Speaker:** D Marty Hadley, East Valley RIDE Choice Coordinator

Date/Time: Monday, October 16, 2006 - 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. **Location:** Mesa Senior Center, 247 N. Macdonald, Mesa, AZ. 85201

Social Security Work Incentives Workshops for Service Providers

Learn how ABIL's Benefits Planning, Assistance and Outreach program, granted through the Social Security administration, can help people on SSI and/or SSDI understand how employment affects their cash and medical benefits. Over the last few years, several new work incentives have been created through Social Security and other public programs. Our trained and certified Work Incentive Specialists are also happy to provide presentations at your agency location.

Guest Speaker: Donna Lorti - Work Incentives Specialist **Date/Time:** Monday, October 9, 2006 - 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Location: Metro Center Office (10000 N. 31st Avenue, Ste. D-405), Phoenix

Social Security Work Incentives Workshops for Consumers

Consumers come and learn how employment will affect your cash and medical benefits. Please sign up for the workshop that matches the kind of Social Security you receive. If you are unsure which kind you receive, David can help you figure that out when you call to RSVP. From now on, we will be having separate workshops for each type of benefit: Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI) or Supplemental Security Income (SSI) because each program has different rules and different work incentives. If you receive both, let David know and he will help you get an appointment with a Work Incentive Specialist. Family members and/or support person are welcome.

Work Incentives & SSI

Guest Speaker: Erik Jensen - Work Incentives Specialist **Date/Time:** Friday, October 13, 2006 - 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Location: 2345 E. Thomas Rd., Ste. 290 Phoenix

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Work Incentives & SSDI

Guest Speaker: Rhonda Webb - Work Incentives Specialist **Date/Time:** Tuesday, October 3, 2006 - 10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Location: Phoenix Workforce Connection, 9801 N. 7th St. Phoenix, AZ 85020

Guest Speaker: Donna Lorti - Work Incentives Specialist

Date/Time: Wednesday, October 18, 2006 - 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Location: Metro Center Office (10000 N. 31st Avenue, Ste. D-405), Phoenix

Guest Speaker: Erik Jensen - Work Incentives Specialist

Date/Time: Tuesday, October 24, 2006 - 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Location: 735 N. Gilbert Rd., Ste. 134, Gilbert

Call <u>David Carey to RSVP</u> for presentations/workshops at <u>602-443-0723</u>
For accommodations or alternative format please call David in advance
*Please check the ABIL calendar for additional updates each month.

Transportation is required please call as soon as possible.

ABIL requests a \$1+ donation (each way) for transportation provided on the ABIL van

Consumers must be 18 years+ or own legal guardian.